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only a certain percentage will be ing any serious harm. found physically fit for the duties which will be required of them, as has been shown in the case of the But it is important that all should be included in the registration since it is not to be forgotter that failure to respond to the order carries with it a penalty which all but slackers should be anxious to

THROUGH THE SWITCH LINE.

On the Hindenburg line to the eas of Arras the German high command placed great reliance in called Drocourt-Queant switch line, a branch of the mam line of defense had been heavily protected. When the pressure became such that it was impossible to hold the line running through Bullecourt this branch was depended upon to check the ad-vance of the allies and it has been impossible in the past to get past that point on the way to Dousi and Cam-To a certain degree it has been expected that the Teutonic forces would endeavor to block the advance in that region by taking advantage o the defenses available but the lates information from the western front is to the effect that not only has this switch line been reached but that the British have been able to pierce it.

This with the progress which has been made about Lens and the steady advance in the valley of the Lys which indicates the early retaking of the territory to the west of Armen tieres and Lille not only makes it evident that the allies are not going to be satisfied with driving the Germans back to the Hindenburg line but that the German high command realizes the difficulties which are faced in trying to retain that position.

With the persistent efforts which are being made in that portion of the front the British are making consistent gains each day toward Douai and Cambral and the breaking through of the switch line portends much greater success in that region, the capture of which would seriously endanger the enemy's line of defense both to the north and the south.

SCARCITY OF TRAMPS.

Down in Philadelphia there has recently been sold an institution which has for the past 15 years been used as a shelter for homeless men and during that time over 120,000 have found accommodations there. For several weeks previous to the sale there had been no applicants for lodgings and those in charge reached the conclusion that it had served its purpose and inasmuch as there was no use for it now concluded that there would be none in the future and that the

only thing to do was to dispose of it. That this decision was arrived at rather hastily, unless there was a desire on the part of those backing the home to get out of the work, is in-dicated on the face of it for the very fact that the homeless stragglers and the floaters who move from one city to another are now at the lowest ebb to do in the south before prohibition does not mean that this condition has gone into effect, it will certainly is going to be maintained indefinitely.

for workmen. At the same time the work or fight order and anti-loafing laws are getting particular attention while many of the class to be found in such an institution have been called for military service. The result is that the tramp has virtually disap-peared from all parts of the country and naturally such a center as Philadelphia feels the effect of it. That period of the war cannot be questioned but it will be one great and grand surprise if those who can get away from work do not resume the same habits they were fond of at the first opportunity. The tramp may be scarce now but experience teaches that he will return.

BEATING STATE AND GOVERN-MENT.

It makes little difference what the law is or who enacts it, no sooner is it put into operation or a date set for its enforcement than there are those who get busy to counteract its effect. It is not surprising therefore that the federal authorities are finding in-creased duties to perform in connecwith the determination of a cer tain element to overcome the prohiition laws which have been passed a number of southern states by distilling whiskey unlawfully,

Moonshining has appealed more or ess strongly in the south and revenue officials have been kept constanton the alert scouring the country for the purpose of putting the illicit stills out of business. This was true fore the wave of prohibition began spread over the country but now many of the southern states, inluding Alabama, Georgia, Florida North and South Carolina and Tensessee have joined the dry column advanced because of the tax which

Drustic measures were necessary in order to break up these unlawful efforts which were not only against the state but the federal, laws, so that it is not surprising that in the past two months more than 30,000 gallons of moonshine whiskey have been seized. "Take the occasion of our twentieth wedding anniversary, for instance. I medicated this great truth, which circle at the hotel and received my of business. This indicates what can business. This indicates what car expected when the bone dry law es into effect and in striking at the olators now the upholders of the

saving being made in gasolene hould not be forgotten that expense are being reduced and this should not mean the burning of a greater quanis made to the effect that this cutting he government from a leaser consumption of gasolene,

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If Lenine is alive he must consider Russin by this time a decidedly un-nealthy country.

Students of human nature never take any chances on missing the an-

ual county fair. Next to the fair nothing will inter-

Saving sugar may come hard but great things can be accomplished when each individual denies himself one or even a half spoonful at each

Those back of that German money which is being used to buy up the supply of picric acid in this country should be put where they can do no

That fellow who has been sentenced to 99 years' imprisonment for wife murder will have a chance to reflect that the first hundred years are the

Some are already talking about the rebuilding of northern France, but it is quite evident though the Huns are on the run that there is much more of it which is liable to destruction

Bar Harbor has lost a large new hotel, which is quite against the rule for watering place hostelries are usually caught by the flames at the opening rather than at the close of the sea-

If the allies have captured over 120,000 prisoners while regaining two-thirds of the territory which they lost this year they should bring the total up to about 200,000 before the Hinden

burg line is reached. With Prussian steel workers strik ing, German soldiers going over to the peasants' side in Russia and Austrian sailors mutinying there is a ten-

dency in the right direction if it only increases and continues. With the illicit whiskey distiller giving the federal authorities plenty require still greater efforts when the Just now there is a great demand bone dry law becomes operative.

SHE HAD THE PROOF

"It doesn't make one bit of difference," said the energetic woman who was sorting wool, "whether or not a feminine individual has spent her entire life from childhood on a desert island—thers is one thing she instantly can tell you about with entire positiveness, and that is how to treat your husband! It seems to me that in the course of my married existence I have been absolutely pursued by friends and acquaintances endeavoring to give me points on taking care of John. To the casual eye John presents a calm and unharried—in fact, I might say flatly satisfied—appearance, and yet there in the course of which is the course of the casual eye John presents a calm and unharried—in fact, I might say flatly satisfied—appearance, and yet there

that adoring husbands and wives use. For instance, when I sav, 'John, for heaven's sake, go shave! You look like a tramp and I'm ashamed of you!' Miss Pickles, who lives at our hotel and is engaged in research work concerning the ancient Assyrians, turns pale and says no wonder the divorce courts are full. She says a woman should never relax the charming adoshould never relax the charming ado-ation she bestowed upon her husband before she married him and should treat him with the same delicacy of a wringe.

"Now any real human woman knows that if I were to approach John, lounging over the newspaper, his face all bristles and coo at him as though were engaged to him, something terrible would happed.
"'John, darling, suppose I began
'you'll do something for me, won't you.

"The trouble is that the unmarrieds of persifiage being served there had not jogged the secretions have been unnatural, at his memory.
"'Airight!' I told him shortly. Pity

you weren't too late twenty years ago today!' And bing went up the re-"In exactly fifteen minutes John ar-rived at the front door, hidden be-hind a box containing twenty Ameri-

can Beauty roses,

"When I related this moving tale I expected laughter and applause and I got it from some of my married friends, but not from Eleanor Pickles. She stated distinctly that she thought I was most unkind to talk that way to John, and that he certainly had a lovely nature to stand such disrespect and contumely. I just had to hit back. "Well," said I, 'all the unhappily marrieds, the divorces and the old maids I know are eternally advising

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REGISTRATION DAY.

To the designation by Persident them be upsheld whether theme in the summation of how to care for convicient of the automation converse have been been as a single from the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how there are also before the imagination can fully convicted the first passes of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for convicient of the summation of how to care for the summation of the summatio there is a congress make available to returning would not only so the secretary be-lieves give the men a chance to get well and to support themselves and tity of the motive fluid week days, their families, but it would also clear and it is not a bad suggestion which and cultivate lands which otherwise and it is not a bad suggestion which and cultivate lands which of the effect that this cutting lown of expenses should result in a stimulating of war saving stamp buying. That would mean something to show for the individual as well as weeks advocated such a measure last liters in winter, and the sentiment seems quite general in its favor now. Moreover winter, and the sentiment seems quite general in its favor now. Moreover other private homes, founded as a pa-triotic publisher, like the one near the homes founded as a patriotic privi-lege. like the one near the Reed hospital, are likely to spring un all over the country, either by gift of the wealthy or by small subscriptions as was "I believe if Congressman John Q.

Next to the last the children so much as the much was department for men intentional control of the control of some war-time need, the department would regard it as a requisition, and Tilson would be able to put giants in the front row of the house gallery within an hour," said one of the military committee a day or two ago. "He has the confidence of the department and be deserves it. Those terrible rumors which are being circulated in Germany may serve to prepare the people for the inevitable.

The trend in Russia at present is strongly towards the revival of that nation, every-move in which direction nation, every-move in which direction and making a practical generation of some war-time need, the department would regard it as a requisition, and Tilson would be able to put giants in the front row of the house gallery within an hour," said one of the military committee a day or two ago. "He has the confidence of the department and be deserves it. Tilson has devoted himself to war-time need. This on of New Haven. The senate and house are each making a tough fight to get all the proper of the democratic national committee. New England is coming for a big share of attention, and three of the house in a way that house. But what I had specially in mind is his adeptness in bringing out facts before the house in a way that the war measures and has pushed and pulled with all his might to get all mind is his adeptness in bringing out facts before the house in a way that the war measures and has pushed and pulled with all his might to get all mind is his adeptness in bringing out facts before the house in a way that the war measures and has pushed and pulled with all his might to get all mind is his adeptness in bringing out facts before the house in a way that the democratic national committee. New England is comfined to the democratic national committee. New England is comfined to the democratic national committee. New England is committee. New England is committee. The connecticut member of the con-fiction of the dem Tillson, of Connecticut, should ask the war department for men fifteen feet high, so be could make a practical

row of the gallery, where at a word of command from him they gave an exhibition of the need, adjustment and

the state federations of

states. New England will have a finger in committee is rejoicing over the fact that Dr. S. D. Foss of Ohio accepted the chairmanship on the retirement of Frank A. Wood of Iowa, a few days ago. Dr. Foss is one of the best organizers in the house and he is a member of the powerful rules committee and as a campaign speaker is not excelled in congress. Moreover he has the promised the support of the national republican committee and other leaders in mapping out a fall campaign and his election as chairman of the committee will give added zest congressional campaign work. Dr. Foss went to Chicago today to meet Chairman Hays of the national committee, in conference with the state chairman from each of the 48 states.

facts before the house in a way that committee. Congressman Lonergan of the understood. When the question of gas masks was up for an appropriation, it was Tilson who got three gas mask experts up from the war department and stood them in the front committee, of which Dr. Foss is

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unharried—in fact, I might say flatly satisfied—appearance, and yet there must be some subtle aura which I do not datect that reveals to the world that he is an abused and suffering man.

"The general idea seems to be that I am a brutal woman because I do not hur; myself with sobs of thankfulness upon his neck whenever he appears before me, neither do I ask solicitously whether he hasn't a headache and insist that he is looking pale. If I did that, John would take to his bed in deep alarm and consider himself a terribly sick man.

The expected, About 5.30 he phoned me, not from the, hotel where he should have been getting dressed for our anniverstary dinner, but from the garage.

"What time is dinner? asked John.

Say, do you know, I don't believe I can get through with this job to get there I want this years for attacks of kidney trouble with this job to get there I want this done. You see I'm going to be so late—' It was then the thorrible thought dawned on me. In his absorption in his car he had quite forgotten the date. We had been living at mothsuch times. I have bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Sevin & Son's Drug Store and they have always removed

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the new chalrman. It will be the specific purpose of the committee to aid in senate and house and from the way the work is being done, its likely to be a fight to the finish in both parties. There's no sign here that "Politics is adjourned." The president is planning to make a speaking tour of the United States, including a visit to the Pacific coast before election and as soon as congress c#1 be adjourned, when war measures and Liberty Loans will be the announced topic.

STORIES OF THE WAR

Visit to an American Rest Camp Its precise situation does not matter. Its precise situation does not matter. It is in England; that is the important, the wonderful fact. Take a map and select some high, windy spot whence you can get a view over miles of English country, hill and dale and woodland, and it will do for the American camp. One other thing is needed before the imagination can fully comprehend this portant. The high windy

tional Concil Insurance Federation at their annual meeting to be held at Atlantic City, October 28 and 29. The secretary has not yet replied whether or not it will be possible for him to attend. The National Federation emissions of Pompell, and weer heavy hand of Time. Then, his eye mysterious nets, he recognizes the in-defeasible signs of the race. The squatters have brought their sports with them as well as their provisions. Here they box, and over there they chase a ball. With the nets they fish for physical health and fitness.

Apparently, the haul is great. Of the thousands of men in the prime of their youth who march along the memoried roads, not one seems burdened with nerves or an ache. Most of them are tall, and all have the kind of chest that throws out a tunic. Nor do they need the Biblical injunction to rejoice in the days of their youth. They exult soldier smiles when he is most in ear- would a village lane will very soon

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nest, but these men, on the contrary,

So much for an impression of them on the march. At play, they let loose the wild humor of Mark Twain, comthe wild nimor of Mark I wain, com-pared with which all British fun, save the East-ender's when he is really out for the day, is prim and even grim. The same man who talks to you of common things with the dtcorum of a finishing achool for young women is changed into a yelling, gesticulating wild man the moment he sets foot on

the baseball ground.

Set down here oh this most English soil, and staying but a little while, they study the country. Mention the local legends, and you discover that they have formed opinions on them. They possess quite a nice sense of where history ends and romance begins. One of them, discussing the subject with me, expressed definite views on the burial place of a renowned hero. This man was a chauffeur. The whirlwind pace he drove at may have given him feisure for specu-lation. All I could do was listen and hold on; so the theory cannot get into print. It was not so fascinating in any case, as the spectacle of the man himself, taken from a remote Ameri-

Board of Education action is a minder for the young folks and the teachers that the long vacation will soon be over. School doys will come again, beginning Seutember 9, a little language. The long rest period his ballot, as a rule the individual this year has been different than usual Many scholars and teachers have de-voted part of it to production. And they feel all the better for it. They they feel all the better for it. They have gained valuable lessons in occomplishment and self-denial. They will be able to deal more effectively with school duties because of this ex-perience.—Bridgeport Telegram.

Old sutomobile drivers have no Old automobile drivers have no-ticed the fact that the streets were never so filled with wheeled traffic as they are now. It requires as much care to thread the streets of Manchester as the streets of a city. We suspect that Manchester is a city aver though we close our eves city, even though we close our to the fact. But whether we are In the play of every muscle and sinew, not we have wheels enough for a city But behind the lean, brown faces lurks a notable seriousness. The British verse our streets these days as he

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